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John SanGiovanni

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TACTILE FEEDBACK FOR COMPUTER

INPUT AND CONTROL

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INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT (IDS)

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.56, 1.97 and 1.98, the attention of the Patent and Trademark Office is hereby directed to the references listed on the attached PTO/SB/08. It is respectfully requested that the information be expressly considered during the prosecution of this application, and that the references be made of record therein and appear among the "References Cited" on any patent to issue therefrom.

This Information Disclosure Statement is being submitted with a Request for Continued Examination (RCE). Applicant(s) hereby petition(s) that the Information Disclosure Statement be considered.

A copy of each reference (except the U.S. patents and published application) on the PTO/SB/08 is attached.

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The Director is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency in the fees filed, asserted to be filed or which should have been filed herewith (or with any paper hereafter filed in this application by this firm) to our Deposit Account No. 50-0665, under Order No. 41826.8870US.

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